

1646#5
DmJ
8-16-01
RECEIVED

AUG 15 2001

TECH CENTER 1600/2900



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Michael W. Heartlein et al.

Art Unit : 1646

Serial No. : 09/753,385

Examiner : Unknown

Filed : January 3, 2001

Title : CHIMERIC PROTEINS FOR USE IN TRANSPORT OF A SELECTED
SUBSTANCE INTO CELLSCommissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Under 35 USC §120, this application relies on the earlier filing date of application serial number 09/285,310, filed on April 2, 1999. The following references were submitted to and/or cited by the Office in the prior application and, therefore, are not provided in this application:

This statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of the application or before the receipt of a first Office action on the merits. Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 8/10/01

Louis Myers, Reg. No. 35,965
Louis Myers
Reg. No. 35,965

Fish & Richardson P.C.
225 Franklin Street
Boston, MA 02110-2804
Telephone: (617) 542-5070
Facsimile: (617) 542-8906

20299177.doc

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Date of Deposit

August 10, 2001

Signature

Marie ReenMarie Reen

Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate